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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If Clow), See 8 CFR 1.5):

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.: PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: PCT/AU2003/000898 12 July 2002 11 July 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION: ALTERED INSULIN-LIKE GROWTH FACTOR BINDING PROTEINS APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: FORBES, Briony Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. 🗵 This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. 3. 🗖 This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. 🗷 The US has been elected (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) 5. 🗷 is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). × has been communicated by the International Bureau. b. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (ROIUS). An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). 6. is attached hereto. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) 7. 🗵 are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a. × have been communicated by the International Bureau, and are incorporated into the substitute specification included b. herewith. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. Ç. have not been made and will not be made. 8. 🗖 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. 🗵 An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Report under PCT Examination Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). 10. Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: 11. 🗵 An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, with an IDS Citation Sheet and Two (2) reference documents. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 12. 🗷 13. 🗷 A preliminary amendment, which amends the <u>substitute</u> specification included herewith. 14. 🗷 An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. A substitute specification, which includes substitute claims that are the Article 19/34 amendments made during the international phase. 15. 🗵 16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825, and paper copy of same. 17. 🗵 18. 🗷 A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4) with the International Search Report. 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). Other items or information: International Preliminary Examination Report with Amendment sheets; Forms PCT/IB/308, PCT/IB/332. 20. 🗷

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Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5): INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.: ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER: PCT/AU03/000698 A20-073 Office use only The following fees are submitted: Applicant use 21. \$300.00 × a) Basic national fee \$300.00 \$200.00 \$200.00 X b) Examination fee \$500.00 \$500.00 c) Search fee \$1000.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$1000.00 Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. **Total Sheets** Extra sheets RATE Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number) 31 - 100 = 0/50 = x \$250.00 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the earliest \$ claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). CLAIMS NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA RATE \$1050.00 Total claims 41 - 20 = 21 X \$50.00 2 - 3 = Independent claims 0 X \$200.00 MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) \$360.00 **TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =** \$2050.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced \$1025.00 by 1/2. **SUBTOTAL = \$1025.00** Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). **TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = \$1025.00** Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied \$40.00 by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = \$1065.00 Amount to be refunded: \$ \$ Amount to be charged: a. A check in the amount of \$1065.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed. b. Please charge my Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$____ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c. 🗵 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee's which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0838. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Fees are to be charged to a credit card. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to 1evive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the International Application to pending status. DATED: December 29, 2004 SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Henry D. Coleman, Henry D. Coleman Coleman Sudol Sapone, P.C. NAME 714 Colorado Avenue 32,559 Bridgeport, CT 06605-1601 **REGISTRATION NUMBER** Tel. (203) 366-3560